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UDOT to present final design for 12th St reconstruction at upcoming public meeting

The Utah Department of Transportation (UDOT) is nearing completion of the planning and design process for reconstruction of 12th St. and is inviting the public, property owners and business operators along the project corridor to an informational public open house to view the final design for the project and discuss project construction. The open house will be held on Thursday, January 24th, 2008 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at Two Rivers High School Multi Purpose Room; 955 West 12th St. in Ogden. A formal presentation on the project will be given at 6:00 p.m.

The meeting will include a presentation and overview of the project elements, anticipated overall schedule for construction, discussion of construction options and opportunity for questions and answers regarding the project. The meeting will also include time to identify specific property access needs during construction and gather input. Attendees will be invited to join the project mailing list and learn about future opportunities for project updates and input during construction. Project team members from UDOT and the consultant design team will be on hand to present information and address issues from attendees.

Current plans for UDOT's reconstruction of 12th St. from I-15 to Washington Blvd. include subgrade reconstruction and resurfacing with concrete, widening of the Wall Ave. intersection, new curbs and gutters, drainage improvements and new 6-7 ft. wide sidewalks on both sides of 12th St. Raised concrete medians will be added at the 1200 West and Wall Ave. intersections and at the Union Pacific Railroad crossing. Additional improvements to the 12th St. Corridor that are planned to occur in conjunction with UDOT's project will also be explained at the meeting. The City of Marriott-Slaterville and City of Ogden will make limited improvements to water and sewer lines in the project area. The Union Pacific Railroad will improve their existing crossing and add a new set of railroad tracks just east of the existing tracks. The 12th St. Reconstruction Project is scheduled to begin in the summer of 2008.

For more information on the 12th St. Reconstruction Project, please contact UDOT Public Involvement Coordinator, Andy Neff at (801) 620-1641, or consult the project web page, which is located at www.udot.utah.gov/go/12thstreet